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Dear Sir:

This paper is responsive to the Office Action dated May 23, 2005. Kindly enter the following amendments and new claims. A Terminal Disclaimer accompanies this paper. A petition for a one month extension of time is hereby made.

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